नहीं हुई है । तथापि, इस अवधि के दौरान बाढ़ों से हुई क्षति के बारे में राज्य सरकार ने सूचित किया है ।

(ङ) राज्य सरकार ने सूचित किया है कि उन्होंने चालू मानसून अवधि के दौरान बाढ़ों से प्रभावित व्यक्तियों को अब तक 2.19 करोड़ रुपए की राहत सहायता वितरित की है ।

(च) राजस्थान सरकार ने सूचित किया है कि उन्होंने चालू वर्ष में राज्य आपदा राहत निधि में राज्य के 25 प्रतिशत के अंशदान के लिए 31 करोड़ रुपए का बजट प्रावधान किया है ।

**Establishment of garment export trade office in Tamil Nadu**

1844. SHRI TINDIVANAM G. VENKATRAMAN : Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have any proposal to establish a garments export trade centre in Tamil Nadu particularly in Tirupur ; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI SHARAD YADAV) : (a) to (b) Government has no proposal under consideration to establish a garments export trade centre in Tamil Nadu. However, Tirupur having developed into an important centre of knitwear industry, all efforts are being made to provide necessary facilities for further development of this industry in Tirupur.

**Export of Seed Lac**

1845. SHRI JAGDISH PRASAD MATHUR : Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether the 'Lac Kutir Udyog Raksha Samiti' representing lakhs of growers and traders of Lac had approached Government demanding that import of seed-lac from abroad be banned and that export of Indian seed-lac be permitted at 100 per cent and it be interlinked with the export of shelac so that their interest was safeguarded;

(b) if so, what steps Government have taken in this respect ;

(c) whether recommendations of the M.R. Srinivasan Committee and those of the NABARD in this regard would be implemented and if so, when ; and

(d) whether Government of Bihar had also approached the Central Government to fix profitable price of Lac ; if so, the Central Government's reaction thereto ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI ARANGIL SREEDHARAN) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) and (d) The matter is under consideration of the Government.

**Development of Places of Pilgrimage In Madhya Pradesh, Rajathan and Himachal Pradesh**

1846. SHRI ATAL BIHARI VAJPAYEE:
SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR :

Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state :

(a) What are the names of the pilgrimage centres proposed to be developed in Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan and Himachal Pradesh by Central/State Governments during the Eighth Plan period as per the proposals under examination;